

Recreation Department



Welcome to the City of Chula Vista Recreation Department's Summer 2006 brochure of events, classes, and programs.

Mission Statement

We enrich our community through recreational opportunities and services.

Vision Statement

Our vision is a community that achieves learning, self-discovery, balance, and essential life skills through recreation.

Our Values

- Integrity
- Respect
- Professionalism
- Accountability
- Commitment
- Teamwork
- Fun

Fun To Be Fit Programs

Look for the oval symbol next to the activities of the brochure for Fun To Be Fit programs for all ages! These programs will be free or of minimal cost. Prizes and T-shirts will be awarded. Join with family and friends to "Get Fit with Chula Vista Recreation!"

Chula Vista is a proud member of the greater San Diego Recreation and Parks Coalition for Health and Wellness.

Rentals

Interested in renting a center, gymnasium, or meeting room for a private party or function? Facility rentals are available at reasonable rates. Call your center of choice for available times and details.

Picnic shelters are available at parks throughout the City. Persons who wish to reserve picnic shelters can do so at the Public Works Center, 7:00 am - 3:00 pm, Monday - Friday. The Public Works Center is located at 1800 Maxwell Road. Please call (619) 397-6197 for more information.

recreation center hours

Summer hours begin June 19

All centers closed on July 4

Community Youth Center

Jimmy Tollefson, Recreation Supervisor II
Eddie Johnson, Recreation Supervisor I
465 L Street (619) 691-5276

Monday - Thursday 12:00 - 8:30 pm
Friday 12:00 - 7:00 pm
Saturday and Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Parkway Community Center

Frank Carson, Recreation Supervisor III
373 Park Way (619) 691-5083

Monday - Thursday 12:00 - 8:30 pm
Friday 12:00 - 7:00 pm
Saturday - Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Otay Recreation Center

Michelle Castagnola, Recreation Supervisor II
Berenice Mora, Recreation Supervisor I
3554 Main Street (619) 476-5325

Monday - Thursday 12:00 - 9:45 pm
Friday 12:00 - 7:45 pm
Saturday 7:30 am - 3:45 pm
Sunday 12:00 - 3:45 pm

Loma Verde Center

Sandy Chavez, Recreation Supervisor III
Joseph Mariano, Recreation Supervisor I
1420 Loma Lane (619) 691-5082

Monday - Thursday 12:00 - 8:30 pm
Friday 12:00 - 7:00 pm
Saturday - Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Heritage Park Community Center

Tony Ramos, Recreation Supervisor II
Lisa Petty, Recreation Supervisor I
1381 East Palomar St. (619) 421-7032

Monday - Thursday 2:00 - 8:00 pm
Friday 2:00 - 7:30 pm
Saturday 12:00 - 4:00 pm
Sunday Closed

Veterans Park and Recreation Center

Victoria Tom, Recreation Supervisor III
Joanne Stout, Recreation Supervisor I
785 East Palomar St. (619) 691-5260

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 12:00 noon
2:00 - 10:00 pm
Saturday 12:00 - 5:00 pm
Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Norman Park Center

Karen Harvell, Recreation Supervisor III
Kathy Wigginton, Recreation Supervisor II
270 F Street (619) 691-5086

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 8:00 am - 10:00 pm
Thursday 8:00 am - 9:30 pm
Saturday Closed
Sunday 1:00 - 5:00 pm

new recreation center and parks

Opening in June 2006

Monteville Community Park and Recreation Center

Shaun Ellis, Recreation Supervisor III
Shannon Bullock, Recreation Supervisor I
840 Duncan Ranch Road (619) 691-5269

Monday - Friday 2:00 - 10:00 pm
Saturday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday 12:00 - 5:00 pm

Salt Creek Park and Recreation Center

Steve Scott, Recreation Supervisor III
Heidi Sorour, Recreation Supervisor I
2710 Otay Lakes Road (619) 585-5739

Monday - Saturday 8:00 am - 10:00 pm
Sunday 12:00 - 5:00 pm



Free Lunch and Snack Program

The Community Youth Center, Loma Verde, Otay, and Parkway will be offering Free Lunches and Snacks to anyone 18 years and under. There is no registration necessary. Lunches and snacks are served on a first come, first served basis. The program will run June 26 - September 1, Monday - Friday. For more information call the center of your choice.



community youth center

Feelin' Good

Mileage Club

Come and join this weekly fitness activity at the Community Youth Center. We will use the Chula Vista High School track. Prizes will be given when certain goals are met. For more info, please call (619) 691-5276.

Mon - Fri 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Wacky Water Day

Wacky Water Day is back! Join in the fun with water balloons and much more wet and wacky fun. Pre-registration is required. **Free**

Ages: 6-13

#9330.285

Tues 3:30 - 5:30 pm
June 6

3-Point Shoot-Out

The 3-Point Shoot-Out is designed for participants to test their long-range basketball shooting skills from multiple spots on the court. Prizes will be given. Pre-registration is required. **Free**

Ages: 8-17

#9330.381

Fri 1:30 - 3:00 pm
July 21

King of the Table

Come show your skills in this billiards tournament. Prizes will be awarded. Pre-registration is required. **Free**

Ages: 8-17

#9330.383

Fri 1:30 - 3:00 pm
August 18

Punt, Pass & Kick

This free program will be held in September, date TBA. Thousands of participants throughout the U.S. will compete in the NFL Pepsi Punt Pass and Kick competition. Ribbons for first-, second-, and third-place winners will be awarded. All participants will receive a certificate. Pre-registration is required. Registration begins August 21. For more information, please call (619) 691-5276.

Ages: 8-15

happenings at heritage

100 Miles at Heritage

Looking for a way to get exercise in a scenic and friendly environment? Sign up for 100-Miles at Heritage. Participants will have ten weeks to walk or run 100 miles around the Heritage Park walking trails. Upon completion, participants will receive a, "I Walked 100 miles at Heritage Park" T-shirt. **Free**

Catch Recreation in Your Parks

Looking for fun and healthy activities in your own backyard? It's time to enjoy your parks. In the Hearts-N-Parks program, we will engage in a variety of FUN activities for all ages. Program will not run from June 12-July 14. **Free**

Ages: 6 and over

Mon - Thu 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Movies in the Moonlight

Pack dinner and enjoy it with your family while watching a G or PG-rated movie. Movies will be announced the day of the event. Movie will begin at dusk. **Free**

June 9, July 14, August 11

Father's Day Crafts

We will have a variety of crafts available for kids to make for Dad. Cost ranges from free to \$2.

June 16 1:30 - 3:30 pm

loma verde rocks

Loma Verde

Creative Corner

This free program for girls and boys, ages 5-14 is designed to introduce participants to a variety of holiday and seasonal crafts. A calendar of craft projects in located at the center.

Ages: 5-14

Tues 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Loma Verde

Sports Club

This free program for boys and girls, ages 6-14 includes instruction on the fundamentals of floor hockey, soccer, baseball, basketball, and flag football. Teamwork and good sportsmanship will be stressed. There will also be swim days and BBQ's.

Ages: 6-14

Thurs 2:30 - 4:00 pm

Ages: 6 and up

Phat Fridays

This free program for boys and girls will have a variety of special activities including popcorn and a movie, building your own sundae, root beer float day, bingo, and dances. For more information on activities check our calendar at the Center or our web site:

www.chulavistaca.gov/rec

Fri 2:30 - 4:00 pm

Spring Dance Recital

Loma Verde Center will show off its performing arts classes and display artwork from various creative classes.

June 28 5:30 - 7:00 pm

community centers



Red, White and Blue Day

Enjoy an afternoon of all-American fun! A variety of contests will be held including watermelon eating, water balloon tosses, potato sack races, pie eating and patriotic crafts. Hot dogs will be served. **Free**

July 3 2:00 - 4:00 pm

Christmas in July

Santa will catch some rays at the Loma Verde Center. Come down and participate in Christmas crafts and take a picture with Santa.

July 25 2:30 - 3:30 pm

Swap Meet Saturday

Loma Verde Center will host a parking lot sale to be advertised in the newspaper and various locations. Spaces are limited. Reserve your space early. Cost: \$10.00 per space. Tables will be rented for \$5.00 per table. For more information call 585-5687.

July 29 7:00 am - 1:00 pm

Back to School Dance

Loma Verde Center will host a dance for 5th and 6th grade students. The dance will include prize raffles and Best Hawaiian Costume, Hula Hoop, and Limbo contests. Cover charge: \$1.00 per person

July 27 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Teen Dodgeball Nights

Looking for something to do Friday nights? Come play dodgeball or just hang out at the Center. Free activities include game room, food, and much more.

July 14 8:00 - 11:00 pm

Aug 11 8:00 - 11:00 pm

Club LV Dances

A live DJ will play the best Hip-Hop, Top 40, and Slow Jams. Club LV will have contests, raffles, and much more. Cover charge: \$3.00 per person. For more information call 691-5082.

Dance

July 21 8:00 - 11:00 pm

End of Summer Bash

Aug 25 8:00 - 11:00 pm

on the move at montevalle

Montevalle Kids Fitness Club



Students will learn the basics of a variety of fitness activities by participating in games and friendly competition. Instructors will promote a healthy lifestyle through fun, knowledge, and exercise. **Free**

Ages: 8-14

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Fri 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Having A Ball

Montevalle staff will conduct a sports program in the gymnasium. A variety of sports will be played – from indoor soccer to dodge ball. Staff will stress participation, good sportsmanship, and of course fun. **Free**

Ages: 6-14

Tues, Thurs 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Tournament Day

Monday afternoons are tournament day! Join in fun game room competitions – pool, foosball, air hockey and bumper pool. Prizes awarded to winners. **Free**

Mon 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Parents' Night Out

Parents can have a night out while the kids participate in a variety of themed activities. These events include dinner, crafts, movies, and games. Children must be dropped off and picked up from the event.

Fee: \$10.00 per child

Ages: 5-14

Baseball Fun

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July 28 Fri 6:00 - 10:00 pm

End of Summer Party

#9900-351

August 25 Fri 6:00 - 10:00 pm

Fun in the Park

Staff will conduct organized activities in the park including flag football, blooper ball, capture the flag, soccer, and more. Staff will stress participation, good sportsmanship, and of course fun. **Free**

Ages: 6-14

Wed 3:30 - 5:00 pm

School's Out Bash

Wall flowers stay home. Throughout the night we will feature a dance contest, an air guitar contest, and much more. All music will be the latest edited hits. Snacks and drinks will be served.

Fee: \$5 per person

Ages: Grades 6th - 8th

School I.D. will be required for attendance

Sept 8

6:00 - 10:00 pm

Take Me Out to the Ball Game

Enjoy a night out with family and friends at Petco Park. Come cheer on the Padres as they take on the L.A. Dodgers (8/23/06) and the Arizona Diamondbacks (9/21/06). Tickets were donated by the Padres Charity Ticket program. All children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Ticket and transportation is included with the fee. Sign up now. Space is limited!

Fee: \$5 Resident

\$6 Non-Resident

Montevalle

#9998.350 Wed 5:30 - 11:00 pm
Aug 23

Montevalle

#9998.351 Thurs 5:30 - 11:00 pm
Sept 21

Summer Family Movie Nights

On these balmy summer nights we will show a G- or PG-rated movie in the park on our 20' x 15' screen. Bring chairs, blankets, and whatever you need to make for a comfortable evening. Snacks and drinks will be available for sale. **Free**

June 3 7:30 - 10:00 pm
(Free snacks and drinks June 3)

July 7 7:30 - 10:00 pm

August 4 7:30 - 10:00 pm

Library Story Time Hour

Enjoy our weekly story time sponsored by the Chula Vista Public Library, EastLake branch. Stories, songs, and crafts are among the activities planned for this weekly event. Parents must stay for this activity. **Free**

All Ages

Beginning June 13

Montevalle

Tues 10:30 - 11:30 am



otay's out of sight!

End of School Ice Cream Party

Celebrate the end of school and the beginning of summer at our ice cream party! You can choose from a variety of delicious ice cream flavors and yummy toppings. Then enjoy a movie, play a game, or just hang out and have some fun at the Center. **Free**

Ages: 5-12

June 15 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Totally Tot Fun Fridays

This is a great chance to get your Preschooler to meet other kids and have a great time. If you haven't tried any of our Preschool classes, here is an opportunity to sample what goes on. Each Friday will be a different theme. Pre-registration required.

Ages: 3-5

Preschool Arts & Crafts

June 9 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Wiggly Worms

June 16 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Sports Zone

June 23 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Snow Cone Fridays

Get a nice cool, refreshing treat every Friday in July for only 25 cents. And with so many flavors, you'll have just as much fun making a snow cone, as you will enjoy your treat. After your treat, enjoy a fun-filled day at the center playing games, basketball, and soccer or just hanging out.

Every Friday in July 1:00 pm

Family Fridays Movie Night

Spend the evening watching a movie! We will provide the movie and popcorn to munch on. Drinks are available in our vending machines. Pre-registration is required. **Free**

Every Friday in August 7:30 - 9:30 pm

4th of July BBQ Celebration

Start the summer with a great family BBQ featuring games and crafts. Get ready for the 4th of July holiday by making a kite and other festive crafts. Games include kickball, potato sack races, water balloon toss, 3-legged races and more. We'll cook hot dogs and ahve drinks available. Registration is required. All ages welcome. **Free**

June 30 1:00 - 3:00 pm

parkway presents

Hip To Be Fit

This program offers cardiovascular exercise, performing dance routines, and other fun aspects of fitness. Prizes will be given out for this eight-week program. Please visit Parkway Community Center or call (619) 691-5083 for more information. **Free**

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Wed 4:30 - 5:30 pm
July 12 - August 30

Daddy and Me Teatime

This event gives fathers and daughters an opportunity to spend time together, get dressed-up, and enjoy teatime with others. Event includes teatime games, finger sandwiches, and drinks. Pre-registration is required.

Fee: \$2 Resident / \$3 Non-Resident

Ages: Walking to 5 years

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Sat 10:30 - 11:40 am
July 15

Chalk It Up!

Create your own sidewalk art! Chalk is supplied. Children must be accompanied by an adult and all artists are required keep their community chalk, as well as their artwork, within the confines of the square. Pre-registration is recommended. **Free**

Ages: 3-12

#9066.363
August 11 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Family Movie Night

Bring the family, dinner, and snacks! Join us for a G- or PG-rated movie at Memorial Bowl. A fun family night out!

Free

Sat 6:30 - 8:30 pm
September 23

sail away with salt creek

All-American Ice Cream Social

Build your own sundae as we celebrate Independence Day with a variety of your favorite ice-cream flavors and toppings.

Fee: \$3 Resident / \$4 Non-Resident

#9000.333

Salt Creek

Sat 3:00 - 5:00 pm
July 1

Boogie On Back To School

Live DJ, dance contest and back to school door prizes. Come join the fun as we dance the hot summer night away. Refreshments included.

Fee: \$7 Resident / \$9 Non-Resident

Ages: 11-15

#9999.336

Salt Creek

Fri 6:00 - 10:00 pm
July 14

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Fee:

\$5 Resident

\$6 Non-Resident

Salt Creek

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Wed 5:30 - 11:00 pm
Aug 23

Salt Creek

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Thurs 5:30 - 11:00 pm
Sept 21

Community centers



Story Time

Join the City of Chula Vista Library as Salt Creek hosts Drop Everything and Read (D.E.A.R.) every Monday, starting July 12 - August 31 from 10:15 - 11:30 am. Give your child the gift of reading.

Walk and Talk Club

Enjoy exercising while making new friends and promoting a healthy life style. Meet on the walking path at Salt Creek.

Mon, Wed, Fri 9:00 - 10:30 am

Hercules Club

Members of our fitness club can now join our Hercules Club. Set goals, chart your progress, and reach for the stars as Salt Creek recognizes performance during this year-round program.

Ages: 15 and over

adventures at veterans!

Family Fun Nights

Check out Family Fun Nights at Veterans Recreation Center. Drop by and enjoy activities like table tennis, foosball, pool, basketball, board games, bingo, craft projects, and more. All activities are offered on a drop-in basis and do not require registration. I.D. required to check out equipment. **Free**

July 13 5:00 - 7:00 pm
August 17 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Sept. 28 5:00 - 7:00 pm

SHARK

(Start Healthy, Active Recreation for Kids)

SHARK provides kids an opportunity to enrich their sports skills by participating in a safe, positive, and non-competitive program. Nutrition instruction will encourage your children to make healthy lifestyle choices. Prizes and incentives will be provided in this 8-week program. **Free**

Ages: 5-10
#9900.311

Mon, Wed 4:00 - 5:00 pm



VERB Crossover

Don't be surprised if you start hearing words like "Bas-Kickball", "Hoop-Scotch", and "Basket-Tag". When basketball is crossed with other sports and activities, the result is VERB Crossover. VERB = Action, so get active and have fun doing it! 8-week program. **Free**

Ages: 9-13
#9910.311

Fri 2:30 - 4:00 pm

Kids' Night Out

Parents can have the night out, while the kids participate in a variety of activities. Activities include: dinner, crafts, movies, and games.

Fee: \$10 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Ages: 5 and over
#2155.211

June 16 6:00 - 10:00 pm

#2155.311

August 4 6:00 - 10:00 pm

Pajama Story Night

Bring your friends and family! Enjoy wonderful stories with our amazing storyteller. Pajamas and stuffed toy are optional. **Free**

Ages: 18 months and over

June 27 7:00 - 7:30 pm
July 25 7:00 - 7:30 pm
August 22 7:00 - 7:30 pm
Sept. 19 7:00 - 7:30 pm

Family Field Day

Bring the family and join us for a day of fun outdoor activities as we celebrate Parks and Recreation Month. There will be three-legged races, an obstacle course, a water balloon toss, and a relay race for the entire family. Sign-up at the Recreation Center by Thursday, July 13.

Free

Sat 11:00 am - 1:00 pm
July 15

Movies in the Moonlight

Pack your dinner and enjoy it with your family while watching a G- or PG-rated movie. Movie will begin at dusk. **Free**

July 28 8:00 pm
August 25 7:30 pm
Sept. 22 7:30 pm

Let The Games Begin!

June - September

Mondays
Softball
Ages: 10-15

4:00 - 6:00 pm

Adult

6:00 - 10:00 pm

Wednesdays
Flag Football
Ages: 10-15

4:00 - 6:00 pm

Adult

6:00 - 10:00 pm

Thursdays
Soccer
Ages: 10-15

4:00 - 6:00 pm

Adult

6:00 - 10:00 pm

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